


REMARKS

Please make the amendment herein to correct the dependency of claim 22 prior to Examination.

The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned attorney to discuss any matter that would expedite allowance of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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MARKED-UP VERSION OF CLAIM AMENDMENTS

22. (Amended) The method of claim 21 [22], wherein said existing deadlock-free set of paths are through a network of two nodes.